# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
for the
Eastern District of Pennsylvania

United States of America v. Fredrick Anthony Curry Defendant(s)	Case No. 16-623-M

CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

I, the complainant in this case, state that the following is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

On or about the date(s) of March 29 through May 5, 2016 in the county of Lehigh and Northampton in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, the defendant(s) violated:

Code Section	*Offense Description*
Title 21, United States Code Section 841(a)(1),(b)(1)(A).	Between March 29, 2016 and May 5, 2016, in Allentown and Bethlehem, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant Fredrick Anthony Curry attempted to knowingly and intentionally distribute 500 grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1),(b)(1)(A).

This criminal complaint is based on these facts:

SEE ATTACHED AFFIDAVIT.

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[signature]
Complainant's signature

Joshua B. Romig, Special Agent, DEA
Printed name and title

Sworn to before me and signed in my presence.

Date: 05/19/2016

[signature]
Judge's signature

City and state: Allentown, PA

The Hon. Henry S. Perkin, U.S. Magistrate Judge
Printed name and title

AFFIDAVIT

I, Joshua B. Romig, having been duly sworn, depose and state the following:

1. I am a Special Agent with the Drug Enforcement Administration where I have been employed for 8 years. I am currently assigned to the Philadelphia Division, Allentown Resident Office. Prior to that, beginning in August 1999, I was a law enforcement officer specializing in narcotics-trafficking cases, in both Baltimore, Maryland and Reading, Pennsylvania.

2. As a result of my training and experience, I am familiar with the federal narcotics laws with respect to which I have enforcement authority.

3. The information contained in this affidavit is based on my personal participation as the lead investigator in this case, my review of court and law enforcement records and reports related to this investigation and my interviews with arrestees, informants and law enforcement officers involved in this investigation.

Background of Defendant

4. Fredrick Anthony Curry (hereinafter "Curry") is a methamphetamine source of supply for Larry Haywood Culbreath, Jr., who is charged elsewhere According to NCIC, Curry was born on June 26, 1992, and was assigned Social Security number ***-**-4515. He was also assigned an FBI number of 521676VC5.

Probable Cause to Arrest

5. Your affiant identified Fredrick Anthony Curry through a social media page, where he listed his telephone number for rap promotion and talent shows being hosted in Redondo Beach, CA. The subscriber for that telephone was C.B. (redacted for the purpose of this affidavit), 1501 Miramar Street, Apt. 309, Los Angeles (Compton), CA, the same address as the sender of the parcel described below. Your affiant used a public database to search that address and it also

listed Fredrick Curry as a resident of this address, with a date of birth of June 26, 1992. Your affiant confirmed through an NCIC search Curry was listed as 5'3", 120 pounds (which your affiant noted the physical description of height and weight appeared to match the appearance of Curry's numerous social media photographs). There was also a social media photograph of a person believed to be Curry with a giant "1992" tattooed on his chest, corresponding with his NCIC birth year. Your affiant received a California photo identification from LA County Sheriff's Detective Tom Logreco of Fredrick Curry and observed the same individual as the social media photographs.

March 29, 2016, Curry told Culbreath, who is charged elsewhere, that his child ingested methamphetamine

6. On March 29, 2016, between 12:25 p.m. and 12:36 p.m., law enforcement records indicated the following communications occurred between Fredrick Anthony Curry (hereinafter "Curry") and Larry Haywood Culbreath, Jr. (hereinafter "Culbreath"). Your affiant believes that Curry was discussing his son getting into his methamphetamine stash and becoming sick. In particular, your affiant believes that when Curry stated "Keep yo Kyds away from yo operation," he was warning Culbreath to keep his kids away from his drug distribution "operation," because Curry almost "lost his son" by not doing the same. When Curry texted that the "lil n*glet found it in the cut tho," your affiant believes Curry was referring to his son as the "lil n*glet" and "it in the cut" must have been a chard of methamphetamine that was left in the cut and his son had ingested it. This was further confirmed in the part of the conversation, in which Curry stated "you know that type of energy would had him panicking," and your affiant believes Curry was referring to the effects of ingesting methamphetamine and his young son panicking from the increased feeling of energy.

Curry: I damn near lost my son yesterday bro. I broke down majorly. Didn't ever think I would be in a situation like that./It's real ... Keep yo Kyds away from yo operation. FrFr [For real, for real].
Culbreath: What happened/Wow..is he ok.
Curry: Yea ... I had to man up and do everything possible. He just didn't like the feelin but he was still doin him. I had to make sure he didn't cry cause you know that type energy would have had him panicking
Culbreath: I hope he be ok.
*Curry: The lil n*glet found it in the cut tho. Mom all on the phone while I was gone. Good thing I made it in time/Yea he good. It was just fxckin with his head that what took me over the edge. He was twistin his words/He didn't really get it tho. Just a spec of it/Just lettin you know to be careful around to Kyds. Shit spooked me.*
Culbreath: Copy.

April 26-28, 2016, Culbreath sends U.S. currency to source of supply in California for shipment of four pounds of methamphetamine, Culbreath used his residence as return address on parcel of U.S. currency

7. On April 26, 2016, at approximately 9:36 p.m., law enforcement records indicated Culbreath spoke with defendant Curry. Your affiant believes that the below conversation clearly defines the drug distribution relationship between Culbreath and Curry. The conversation also clearly indicates prior methamphetamine transactions from Curry to Culbreath, including a "whole one and half" from a paid for delivery. The conversation outlines a present agreement and timeline for Culbreath to purchase four pounds of methamphetamine from Curry for $16,500.

Culbreath: Yo!
Curry: Yo!
Culbreath: What are you saying... I don't understand yo' I'm lost yo' I'm definitely lost! What were you saying bro?
Curry: [U/I] Yeah... let me cut this T.V, Bro' I'm, what I'm saying you said to send you an extra one, bro, but I am in a tight situation right now like...
Culbreath: Bro' listen, think about this bro, just think about this! This is you thinking about some stuff! Listen! You know how much money we lost bro? Listen to me! We never received the WHOLE ONE AND HALF [emphasis added], you know the [U/I] and the cash or come up... [Voice Overlap].
Curry: I would have money in my pocket and I would it send it with my own money! [Voice Overlap].
*Culbreath: This is what I'm trying to tell you bro! This is what I'm trying to tell you! I am scrounging up everything my n*gga! And I took a losses after that, on top of not receiving, what I was supposed to get that I paid for!*
Curry: Yeah, but the losses what nothing to do with me dawg...

[Voice Overlap].
Culbreath: What? Bro you have to listen, you got paid! How you are going to say that! You send something that I never received!
Curry: After that, I'm saying your losses after that!
[Voice Overlap].
Culbreath: No I'm talking about, no I ain't talking about my loses after that, I ain't talking after! I said you send me something that I never received, HALF OF IT [emphasis added]! How are you going to say that you have notting' to do with it? You know how much money that was?
*Curry: Bro, you are not hearing me bro! I can't send shit if I don't have it! [Laughs] N*gga if you send me that! W... what I told you to send me, I can't send you no extra one bro, if I can buy it that is what I'm trying to tell you! I don't have it! I'm fucking down over here!*
*Culbreath: Like what? Tell me, tell me? What's going on like? I'm trying to figure out a couple of dollars, but n*ggas don't want to fuck with you because they are saying ' why would we' Listen! Listen! This is what there thing is.*
[Voice Overlap].
Curry: [U/I].
Culbreath: They are saying 'how can we keep sending bread over there if is not getting back' you know what I'm trying to tell you?
Curry: I don't know if they are fucking with me bro! If you are going through me!
Culbreath: This are my folks! What you mean? My folks is my folks! Just like you is my folks! They my folks! You don't think they don't know what I'm doing? Their money was involved in that bro'! You [U/I] that is what I'm trying to tell you! You got me in a bad situation when you did that!
Curry: That wasn't my... you are not hearing bro'!
Culbreath: I ain't tripping over that, but I'm just saying that we have to fix that bro! We still have to fix it!
Curry: And I am trying to help you! You are not hearing bro'! You are not hearing because you just won't.
[Voice Overlap].
Culbreath: No you have to listen to me! Is not making sense what you said over the text, that is why I am conversationing you! Don't make sense what you said!
Curry: Again, those text [U/I] and I just got that [U/I] bro! I'm not getting no money out of that, by helping you with that situation, you give me SIXTEEN is FOUR TIME FOUR IS SIXTEEN [emphasis added] bro'! That extra five hundred [500] bro I am just using that to [U/I] bro, I am not making...
[Voice Overlap].

Parties have discussion regarding pills.

Culbreath: So listen with the 16.5 you can get the 4 to me for 16? I shoot it back to you right back to you!
Curry: Nah... I can't do that brother! I'm not get nothing! [giggles] You are not hearing me!
Culbreath: It's only a (5) Five difference! It's a nickel difference.
Curry: [U/I].
Culbreath: I'm gonna send it right back to you! When I grab them joints!
Curry: I don't have no money, I have $ 45.00 dollars in my pocket bro and I have [U/I] here bro'

and I have to keep some kind of money in my pocket.
Culbreath: Listen today is Tuesday and you are slowing up the process I need this shit to move tomorrow man! So we can get this shit the same week!
*Curry: Was is an extra five hundred to yo' n*ggas!*
*Culbreath: Bro you are not listening ! N*gga you know what I had to do to turn it! Think about it I just conversation you in! For this! When I just told you I was gonna put it together? I been putting it together, I know this n*ggas! Stop playing man! How can you tell me that?*
[Voice Overlap].
Curry: I was going to try to do you for the 48 [$4800] bro so I can take 7 out of those 3 that is $2100 bro that just not getting shit done!
Culbreath: What do you mean? What do you mean? Explain that?
[Voice Overlap].
Curry: Some type of way?
Culbreath: What do you mean? What do you mean?
Curry: You remember I said 'I am gonna do you for the 48 for which ever you get but if you want a WHOLE ONE [emphasis added] thrown on top of that you have me to give me 55 in order for me to get the FOUR [emphasis added]of them so I can send it to you!
Culbreath: So the (48) forty eight is for what?
*Curry: The forty eight is just for the forty eight just for n*gga... if you want to try to get a whole one or if you just try to get the two of them, you get the 48 for either one to knock of that seven by like I was saying... so... you can keep that money in your pocket like!*
*Culbreath: Yeah! Look at the benefits! its three [3] or four [4] man, that is what I'm trying to tell you... I am working crazy n*gga! I am running crazy kid!*
Curry: You are not hearing bro'!
*Culbreath: I am hearing you my n*gga! It's only five [5] difference I'll come up with that but...*
[Voice Overlap].
Curry: That is not coming from out here!
Culbreath: Listen! Bro! I got it! Bro' you are not listening! I fuck with you because I fuck with you! My peoples don't want fuck with you, and they only fuck up with you because of business! I don't fuck with you because of business, I fuck with you because I fuck with you bro'! Even if do business or not I am still going to fuck with you! You understand what I'm trying to tell you?
Curry: Yeah!
Culbreath: So when they be ready to grab, I am like 'Nah' instead of going to the folks we been going to, I'm bout' to go to my folks! So they then get that! You know what I'm saying, that is what I been conversationing you like that, hitting you like out of nowhere. Bum dawg they need that because they are ready to grab that. I am like' No! don't go to they folks that we got! We are going to go through here' You know what I'm saying?
Curry: Yeah!
[Voice Overlap].
*Culbreath: So you can [U/I] my n*gga! You know what I'm saying?*
Curry: I live the day to day bro! I have [U/I] you already know, because we already discuss this before all this shit happen! A loss is a loss bro! I am just trying to help you out bro! On me!
Culbreath: Is the only thing you could bro' We lost! We didn't get nothing! We didn't gain!
Curry: If ya' don't let me help you this shit would never be fix.
Culbreath: Bro Mad time just passed by, that is all we can try do! I mean listen! Is harder to gain

*when we lose so much! In one shot my n*gga!*
Curry: Bro I Already know get it from P for the thirty eight (38) bro, you thrown an extra stack on top [U/I] cause' he didn't tell that he find it for the thirty eight (38) I was trying to help you...
*Culbreath: I got it from lower than that! That is from [U/I] thirty (30) I got it from thirty seven (37) n*gga! Thirty six (36)!*
Curry: That's cool, that's cool!
[Voice Overlap].
Culbreath: I don't even go to bros' when bro's' trying to make a move, I don't even deal with bro like that, when he is trying to make a move and what something happen, Imma might holla' with something! besides that I don't [U/I] that is just a bro!
Curry: [U/I] I been trying to tell you!
[Voice Overlap].
*Culbreath: Listen that is what I'm trying to tell you! Listen what you said to me! Why would I want something that is so-so... I don't want nothing that is so-so my n*gga, everything I grab is fire! If ain't fire I don't even want it! That is waste of time! Straight up I don't even waste my time!*
Curry: But if that is fire that is cool! But I guaranteed you what he got ain't what I'm getting bro! I already know who P...
*Culbreath: My n*gga! I got fire! What do you mean? If its fire the p... listen the fuck what I'm saying! The peoples that we give these to, want's these! It's fire! You are not listening! They are saying 'keep these, this is the weight.' Why would I change it? Why would I got against that?*
Curry: Yeah!
*Culbreath: It's not me! It's not me n*gga! I don't use it! I'm not an user! Imma a consumer!*
Curry: Yeah but I tell you, thou' you come and get this shit [U/I] right here!
[Voice Overlap].
*Culbreath: I feel you but it still got to make sense to me! I'm not gonna... It has to make sense my n*gga that is what I'm saying!*
*Curry: [U/I] N*ggas! That is the best I can get! I can get no better deal than that! [Giggles].*
Culbreath: [Laughs] I got to come back over there with you man so I can make a better deal for you! That is what I'm trying to tell you bro!
*Curry: N*gga you can get a better deal of that shit [U/I] ...*
Culbreath: A better number! We just need a better number! Bro' you need a better number! Bro' you need a better number!
Curry: How the process is going they are looking at that like 'shit! my business ain't no good business because the money it's going down.'
*Culbreath: That is what I'm trying to tell you! That's why you need... That's why you need a better number, that's what I'm trying to tell you it's slowing down because it ain't the right number! You see what I'm saying that is why you need a better number, you need to start shopping to get a better number my n*gga!*
Curry: [U/I].
[Voice Overlap].
*Culbreath: Everything is going to be better when the numbers get better my n*gga' you know that!*
Curry: I can't get FIRE for you, that's nothing bro!
[Voice Overlap].
Culbreath: I need fire, ain't no... Listen it got to be fire! If it is not fire I don't want it!
Curry: Everything I gave you bro' have you ever been bad?

Culbreath: No, one (1) did, one shit was trashed! you know that! Remember? The other shit, the other shit! It was trash, remember I told you that!
Curry: Which one?
Culbreath: Them shit, it was a little bit shaky and then there was a couple of boulders! Remember when we had the three (3) joints... like the second time, the second go around when we grabbed three (3) joints!
Curry: I don't even remember that I'll probably... [U/I]
[Voice Overlap].
Culbreath: That shit is like weak, remember I tell you that took us mad long to get rid of it... besides that everything is good! you know that! You know what I'm saying everything is good besides that bro! You know I don't play it like that! Come on man! I'm just saying... you know what I mean? We just need a better number because we got a better number! You know what I'm saying?
Curry: [U/I] I can get fire from you bro!
Culbreath: I already know bro! this is what I am trying to tell you when it comes to... when it come to where my peoples are saying, I'm telling you are my people, so I don't care, you understand what I'm saying? I fuck with you they don't really have to fuck with you! You see what I'm saying? [Aside: What's up Mami? What's up Mami]
Curry: [Laughs]
Culbreath: fuck with you so I don't care bout'... since I fuck with you when I'm trying to make something, I'm gonna make it happen but they still have to believed in my n*gga! And the only way they are going to believe in me, is if you come trough and show me... not even show me but come through and show like you are, who you are supposed to be! You dig what I'm saying?
Curry: [U/I]
Culbreath: Remember when I told you, I told you... I speak big of you! "This is the boy, the glove, he make it happen! Whatever he need you are gonna get it ah...." you see what I'm saying?
Curry: Yeah!
Culbreath: So I got, I got... you see what I'm saying? You know come on bro! this is the east coast, n*ggas ain't just passing lump sums of money bro' you know that?
Curry: Yeah.
Culbreath: You know what I'm saying? They got to believed! First of all, n*ggas! know who I am so its low... [U/I] those are my folks, they are straight! See what I'm saying? So my word! n*ggas' are like "Are you sure?" yeah I'm sure! It's my n*gger! I been with him around and that like [U/I] I meet him face to face and I fucks with him!
Curry: Yeah!
Culbreath: You know what I'm saying? Like you see what I'm saying? That is why I am telling you that we have to make this shit work! Because that's what keeps it flowing... we have to keep the money flowing, we have to keep the flip flowing!
Curry: I am trying to help you...
[Voice Overlap].
Culbreath: I'm trying... Imma working bro' Listen! This is what I'm gonna do, Imma gonna get the sixteen five [$16,500] Imma gonna have at you...
Curry: [U/I].
Culbreath: Ha? Imma gonna have them at you by tonight bro! I'm going to have the sixteen five [$16,500] by tonight! Imma gonna have that sixteen five [$16,500] by tonight! But I am just telling

*you I am under pressure n*gga! I'm under pressure n*gga!*
Curry: [laughs].
*Culbreath: That's your boy it's your buy [U/I]... I'm under pressure n*gga!*
Curry: Yeah me too bro! I ain't mad at you, I am just trying to help you!
Culbreath: I took Mad loses bro! I took them back to back at the same time type shit that's what happen bro see what I'm saying? That's old! I took too many loses at the same time. Both losses [stutters] the situation losses.
Curry: We probably took the same losses bro!
*Culbreath: My n*gga I am trying to something explain to you some cra... some wear shit going on bro'! I guess is getting freaky! You know how that shit go bro'! That is part of the game, I ain't be tripping really! I understand this shit but is like at time... it's about timing my n*gga! This shit is killing me!*
Curry: [Bad audio] [U/I] the situation... [U/I]
*Culbreath: You already know I'm coming back out there to fuck with you [U/I] and Charles N*gga!*
Curry: I know.
[Culbreath: indicates that he wants to go hang with him before it becomes too hot].
[Curry indicates that he would be planning about June or July].
Culbreath: This is the thing... this is the thing... this is what I am trying to tell you, this what I was trying to explain to you this is the movement right now, I swear to you bro! They [U/I] don't want the BOULDERS NO MORE THEY WANT THE SHARDS! [emphasis added].
Curry: Yeah!
Culbreath: You understand me?
Curry: That shit [U/I]...
[Voice Overlap].
Culbreath: Them sickles, them sickles, the pointy shit!
Curry: Say what?
Culbreath: Like the sickles, like that pointy, you know how it used to be all jagged and all of that!
Curry: Hey but that is what I'm saying bro! You are talking like the clear, clear shards, like the ones like glass?
Culbreath: That's it right now! That's it!
[Voice Overlap].
Curry: That's what I'm getting.
[Voice Overlap].
*Culbreath: My n*gga! So you have to get a better number! You have to be able to get a better number, they guy order it for thirty six (36) my n*gga hard thrown, they got it over here, wax all my n*gga! That is what I'm try to say.*
[Voice Overlap].
Curry: I'm sorry bro! I'm promise you what I got right now, they don't got over there bro! I'm sorry.
*Culbreath: My n*gga this is it! I swear to you...*
[Voice Overlap].
Curry: The MEXICANS [emphasis added] right now, they don't even fuck with black people bro!
*Culbreath: My n*gga who you think I am getting it from n*gga? This ain't no fucking n*gga! You know we don't got it n*gga!*

[Voice Overlap].
Curry: Oh I'm thinking you told me...
[Voice Overlap].
*Culbreath: Come on man, I ain't talking about no n*ggas! I am talking about the fucking MEXICANS [emphasis added] n*gger! You don't fuck with n*ggas for this shit my n*gga!*
Curry: Hello no!
*Culbreath: I would not even by this shit from no n*ggas! I ain't dumb bro!*
Curry: [Laughs].
Culbreath: Come on man! I am straight!
Curry: [Laughs]
Culbreath: Your boy [U/I] man... Ah... listen man, I'm gonna get that together man! You understand? But this is what I need you to do! This is what I need you to do! You got make sure that shit is it bro! It can be no...
[Voice Overlap].
Curry: [U/I]
Culbreath: The way I got right now... listen! Everything is depending on this right now. I am depending on everything to come through and on the new... like they are just behind me right now... like 'Yo you up right now!' But they don't even know that I lost! You see what I'm saying?
Curry: Yeah!
Culbreath: So, this is why I needed to come through right now, because I don't have notting' no more! You see what I'm saying?
Curry: On top!
Culbreath: I don't have shit! You see what I'm saying? So now I have to comeback with what they know is there already so I can... it can be different... see what I'm saying? That's what I'm trying to tell you bro' they got to be it! It has to be it bro!
Curry: Yeah... [U/I].
Culbreath: You dig? You dig what I'm saying?
Curry: That situation [U/I] on top...
*Culbreath: I get you the sixteen five [$16,500] bro you know I fuck with you, I always work for you, bro that is what I am trying to tell you, it just be timing my n*gga!*
Curry: You know...
[Voice Overlap].
*Culbreath: This will be timing my n*gga! Come on man! You know I'm always going to fuck with you bro! You got tell me what's going on!*
Curry: So what that motherfucker!
[Voice Overlap].
*Culbreath: N*gga I was just ready to get out there, when you send me those pictures, I was about to send somebody out there.*
[Culbreath stated that he was going to help Curry when he has the situation with his grandmother with his young bulls because Curry is like family for him].
[Culbreath told Curry to find out about the Rolex's and the Dolphins and they will grab a rack from him].
Curry: So this shit should be here like Friday!
*Culbreath: I am sending out in the morning n*gga! You know I won't be playing! Right in the morning, I will right with you my n*gga!*

Curry: I was thinkings...
[Voice Overlap].
Culbreath: You got it right back!
End of conversation.

8. On April 27, 2016, at approximately 10:14 am, physical and electronic surveillance observed Culbreath at the U.S. Post Office, 442 W. Hamilton Street, Allentown, PA. Culbreath was observed in possession of a black bag. Physical and electronic surveillance verified Culbreath mailed an envelope at the location.

9. Your affiant contacted USPI Herzog and informed him of the matter. USPI Herzog confirmed Culbreath had mailed an envelope. USPI Herzog reported the envelope was addressed to Curry, at 1501 Miramar St. #309, Los Angeles, CA 90026. USPI Herzog reported the return address on the envelope was Larry Culbreath, 1246 W. Walnut St., Allentown, PA 18102. USPI Herzog reported the envelope tracking number as 9505.5105.5045.6118.3467.19. Your affiant knows from the above conversation that Culbreath mailed Curry $16,500 at this time.

10. On April 28, 2016, between approximately 1:43 p.m. and 1:46 p.m., law enforcement records indicated the following communications between Culbreath and Curry. Your affiant knows the number provided by Culbreath to Curry, in the message listed below, was the USPS tracking number assigned to the envelope mailed by Culbreath to Curry.

Curry: I need the numbers by the way.
Culbreath: 9505.5105.5045.6118.3467.19.
End of messages.

April 30, 2016, Curry has 3 pounds of methamphetamine to mail, not 4

11. On April 30, 2016, law enforcement records indicated the following communications occurred between Curry and Culbreath.

Culbreath: Make sure...that glasshouse fire.
Curry: I'm here with my boy now. He only got 3.

Culbreath: What I need 4.
Culbreath: You knew that.
Culbreath: So get the otha one...
Curry: Bro stop coming at me like that fr [for real].
Curry: I just said that.
Culbreath: Cut it out.
Curry: I'm just keepin you updated.
End of messages.

12. In the above conversation, Culbreath asked Curry to make sure the methamphetamine was of a good quality when he said "make sure that glasshouse fire." Curry then explained his source only had three pounds. Culbreath was not happy because he requested four pounds.

May 1, 2016, Curry can only get an extra ½ pound of methamphetamine to add to the 3 pounds, Culbreath asks him to make up difference with either marijuana or pills

13. Law enforcement records showed that follow-up communications occurred on May 1, 2016, at approximately 1:15 p.m., when Curry stated to Culbreath, "*All the other are sold. He said he bout to conversation his other boy and see if he got some, but push come to shove he got like a lil over a half left and I can add a couple oz out of my stash if possible. Other than that he can get the non-shattered kind.*" Culbreath responded, "*Copy lets get it,*" and "*If u cant make up for the rest with some loud or pills.*" Your affiant knows from his experience that "loud" was a coded reference to marijuana and in the conversation above, Curry agreed to provide over three pounds of methamphetamine to Culbreath.

May 2, 2016, Curry can't get last ½ pound of methamphetamine, so he is adding 6 ounces to the 3 pounds, and also mailing ¼ pound of marijuana

14. Law enforcement records showed that at approximately 2:05 p.m., Curry stated to Culbreath, "*Skittles didn't come through, but I got you a QP of some Private reserve OG. Dude didn't even have a whole half and he was tryna tax me so I sent you my last 6 oz and kept the*

change in my pocket. Made more sense." Your affiant knew this was confirmation Curry had not gotten the pills ("skittles"), but had obtained a quarter pound of marijuana ("QP of some Private") for Culbreath in addition to the original three pounds of methamphetamine and six extra ounces of methamphetamine from Curry's "stash."

May 3, 2016, Curry sends parcel of methamphetamine and marijuana to Culbreath

15. Law enforcement records showed that on May 3, 2016, at approximately 7:48 a.m., Curry sent to Culbreath the following confirmation of the tracking number for the USPS parcel, "9505513009226123405105." USPI Herzog determined this parcel was shipped from Los Angeles, CA, on May 2, 2016, weighed approximately 10.19 pounds, and was destined for 1246 W. Walnut Street, Allentown, PA 18102.

May 4, 2016, USPS seizes parcel of methamphetamine and marijuana addressed to Culbreath

16. On May 4, 2016, the Philadelphia Division of USPIS identified a suspect U.S. Postal Service priority mail parcel, bearing priority mail number 9505513009226123405105. That parcel had the following characteristics:

Parcel Description:	9505513009226123405105 17.75" x 16.5" x 18.25" 10 pounds, 3 ounces
Return Address:	Fredrick Curry 1501 Miramar ave #309 LA, CA 90026
Delivery Address:	Larry Culbreath 1246 Walnut St. Apt#2 Allentown PA 18102

17. On May 4, 2016, at approximately 3:30 p.m., a Federal search warrant was obtained for the above parcel. USPI Herzog and your affiant recovered the following controlled

substances from the parcel: three vacuum sealed packages each containing a crystal like substance, weighing approximately 455, 456, and 454 grams each (for a total weight of approximately three pounds), a smaller vacuum sealed package of a crystal like substance that weighed approximately 174.3 grams (or approximately 6 ounces), and a vacuum sealed package of suspected marijuana that weighed approximately 129 grams (approximately a 1/4 pound). Your affiant field tested a small amount of the crystal like substance from one of the three pound bags (as witnessed by USPI Herzog) and observed a positive result for the presence of methamphetamine. USPI Herzog processed the suspected methamphetamine and marijuana as evidence for submission to the USPS laboratory for further analysis.

18. On May 17, 2016, The Honorable Judge Michael R. Wilner of the Central District of California signed a Federal search warrant for 1501, Miramar Avenue, Apartment 309, Los Angeles, CA 90026 (Curry's residence).

19. On May 18, 2016, at approximately 6:00 a.m., members of the DEA Los Angeles Field Division (LAFD) executed the above warrant. In the apartment were C.B. and her toddler aged child. During the search of the apartment, agents seized three clear plastic containers, with an aggregate weight of approximately 65 grams. Also found in the apartment was a vacuum sealer, plastic wrap, and various pieces of men's clothing. While searching the apartment, SA Matthew Principe and SA Theodore Russell placed a telephone call to 310-xxx-xxxx (which law enforcement records show is the same number Curry used to communicate with Culbreath). A male answered the phone. SA Principe asked for Fredrick Curry, to which the male responded that he was Fredrick Curry. SA Principe asked Curry if this phone number belonged to him to which Curry responded in the affirmative. SA Principe explained to Curry that investigators wanted to speak to him. Curry stated that he had slept at a friend's house and would be on his way

to Los Angeles following the conclusion of the telephone call.

20. SA Principe conducted a subsequent interview of C.B., who stated that Curry was at 1501 Miramar, Apt 309, Los Angeles, CA, last night but he left after she fell asleep. C.B. stated that Curry stays at that apartment several times per week. SA Principe asked C.B. what phone numbers she had for Curry, who pulled up the same phone number of 310-xxx-xxxx, which was titled "Fred".

Conclusion

21. Based on the information above, I have concluded there is probable cause to believe that Fredrick Anthony Curry attempted to knowingly and intentionally distribute 500 grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance, in and around the Cities of Allentown and Bethlehem, Lehigh and Northampton Counties, the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1), (b)(1)(A).

Joshua B. Romig
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Subscribed to and sworn before
me this 19th day of May, 2016

HONORABLE HENRY S. PERKIN
United States Magistrate Judge